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Applicants: David Charles POTTS, et al.

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Title: ABSORBENT ARTICLE WITH FLUID  
TREATMENT AGENT

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

The undersigned represents that the Petitioner, Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the state of Delaware, having its principal place of business at 401 North Lake Street, Neenah, Wisconsin 54956 represents that it is the owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to application Serial No. 10/035,701, filed 09 November 2001, entitled ABSORBENT ARTICLE WITH FLUID TREATMENT AGENT, which is a continuation of U.S. Patent No. 6,350,711, by assignment of U.S. Patent No. 6,350,711 and continuations thereof from the inventors, recorded at Reel 9732, Frame 0520, in the United States Patent & Trademark Office on 27 January 1999.

I hereby certify that this paper is being facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below.

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The Petitioner, Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc., hereby disclaims the terminal part of any patent granted on the above-identified application, which would extend beyond the expiration date of the full statutory term of U.S. Patent No. 6,350,711, filed 30 October 1998 and issued 26 February 2002, entitled ABSORBENT ARTICLE WITH FLUID TREATMENT AGENT, and hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the above-identified application shall be enforceable only for and during such period that the legal title to said patent shall be the same as the legal title to U.S. Patent No. 6,350,711, this agreement to run with any patent granted on the above-identified application and to be binding upon the grantee, its successors or assigns.

In making the above disclaimer, the Petitioner does not disclaim the terminal part of any patent granted on the above-identified application that would extend to the expiration date of the full statutory term as defined in 35 U.S.C. 154 to 156 and 173 of U.S. Patent No. 6,350,711, as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer, in the event that it later: expires for failure to pay a maintenance fee, is held unenforceable, is found invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, is statutorily disclaimed in whole or terminally disclaimed under 37 CFR 1.321, has all claims canceled by a reexamination certificate, is reissued, or is in any manner terminated prior to the expiration of its full statutory term as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer.


I, the undersigned, have reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the above-identified application and to the best of my knowledge and belief, title is in the petitioner, Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee for the  
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Respectfully submitted,



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